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REGISTER OF WAGE DETERMINATIONS UNDER THE SERVICE CONTRACT ACT By direction of the Secretary of Labor

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS ADMINISTRATION WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION WASHINGTON D.C. 20210

William W.Gross Director

Division of Wage Determinations Wage Determination No.: 1994-2103 Revision No.: 34 Date Of Last Revision: 05/23/2005

States: District of Columbia, Maryland, Virginia

Area: District of Columbia Statewide Maryland Counties of Calvert, Charles, Frederick, Montgomery, Prince George's, St Mary's Virginia Counties of Alexandria, Arlington, Fairfax, Falls Church, Fauquier, King George, Loudoun, Prince William, Stafford

Fringe Benefits Required Follow the Occupational Listing

OCCUPATION CODE - TITLE	MINIMUM WAGE	RATE
01000 - Administrative Support and Clerical Occupations 01011 - Accounting Clerk II 01012 - Accounting Clerk III 01013 - Accounting Clerk IVI 01030 - Court Reporter 01050 - Dispatcher, Motor Vehicle 01060 - Document Preparation Clerk 01070 - Messenger (Courier) 01090 - Duplicating Machine Operator 01110 - Film/Tape Librarian 01115 - General Clerk I 01116 - General Clerk II 01117 - General Clerk III 01118 - General Clerk IVI 01120 - Housing Referral Assistant 01131 - Key Entry Operator I 01132 - Key Entry Operator II 01191 - Order Clerk II 01192 - Order Clerk II 01193 - Order Clerk III 01261 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) I 01262 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) II 01263 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) III 01264 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) IV 01270 - Production Control Clerk 01300 - Scheduler, Maintenance	MINIMUM WAGE	12.16 12.86 14.89 16.65 17.02 16.50 12.75 10.23 12.75 15.10 11.68 13.72 15.32 14.74 19.30 12.67 13.82 14.74 16.29 13.05 15.10 17.02 19.60 18.89 15.26 16.11
01311 - Secretary I 01312 - Secretary II 01313 - Secretary III 01314 - Secretary IV		17.31 19.30 21.45
01315 - Secretary V 01320 - Service Order Dispatcher 01341 - Stenographer I 01342 - Stenographer II 01400 - Supply Technician 01420 - Survey Worker (Interviewer) 01460 - Switchboard Operator-Receptionist 01510 - Test Examiner		23.75 15.82 15.15 16.47 21.45 16.43 12.06 17.31

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01520 - Test Proctor	17.31 11.63
01531 - Travel Clerk I 01532 - Travel Clerk II	12.49
01532 - Travel Clerk II 01533 - Travel Clerk III	13.41
01611 - Word Processor I	12.75
01612 - Word Processor II	15.10
01613 - Word Processor III	17.02
03000 - Automatic Data Processing Occupations	15.10
03010 - Computer Data Librarian 03041 - Computer Operator I	15.10
03042 - Computer Operator II	17.02
03043 - Computer Operator III	18.89
03044 - Computer Operator IV	21.09
03045 - Computer Operator V	23.35 19.64
03071 - Computer Programmer I (1)	23.33
03072 - Computer Programmer II (1) 03073 - Computer Programmer III (1)	27.62
03074 - Computer Programmer IV (1)	27.62
03101 - Computer Systems Analyst I (1)	27.62
03102 - Computer Systems Analyst II (1)	27.62
03103 - Computer Systems Analyst III (1)	27.62
03160 - Peripheral Equipment Operator	15.10
05000 - Automotive Service Occupations 05005 - Automotive Body Repairer, Fiberglass	22.73
05010 - Automotive Glass Installer	17.88
05040 - Automotive Worker	17.88
05070 - Electrician, Automotive	18.95
05100 - Mobile Equipment Servicer	15.69
05130 - Motor Equipment Metal Mechanic	19.98 17.88
05160 - Motor Equipment Metal Worker	20.07
05190 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic 05220 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic Helper	16.81
05250 - Motor Vehicle Upholstery Worker	17.88
05280 - Motor Vehicle Wrecker	17.88
05310 - Painter, Automotive	18.95
05340 - Radiator Repair Specialist	17.88
05370 - Tire Repairer	14.43 19.98
05400 - Transmission Repair Specialist 07000 - Food Preparation and Service Occupations	13.30
(not set) - Food Service Worker	9.91
07010 - Baker	12.25
07041 - Cook I	11.53
07042 - Cook II	12.79 9.76
07070 - Dishwasher 07130 - Meat Cutter	16.07
07130 - Meat Cutter 07250 - Waiter/Waitress	8.59
09000 - Furniture Maintenance and Repair Occupations	
09010 - Electrostatic Spray Painter	18.05
09040 - Furniture Handler	12.55
09070 - Furniture Refinisher	18.05 13.85
09100 - Furniture Refinisher Helper 09110 - Furniture Repairer, Minor	16.01
09130 - Upholsterer	18.05
11030 - General Services and Support Occupations	
11030 - Cleaner, Vehicles	9.67
11060 - Elevator Operator	9.79
11090 - Gardener	14.27 9.97
11121 - House Keeping Aid I 11122 - House Keeping Aid II	10.77
11122 - House Reeping Ard II 11150 - Janitor	10.12
11210 - Laborer, Grounds Maintenance	11.65
11240 - Maid or Houseman	9.97
11270 - Pest Controller	12.49

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11330 - Tractor Operator	14.00 10.51
11360 - Window Cleaner 12000 - Health Occupations	10.51
12020 - Dental Assistant	16.90
12040 - Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)/Paramedic/Ambulance Driver	15.83 15.86
12071 - Licensed Practical Nurse I 12072 - Licensed Practical Nurse II	17.79
12073 - Licensed Practical Nurse III	19.92 12.94
12100 - Medical Assistant 12130 - Medical Laboratory Technician	16.32
12160 - Medical Record Clerk	14.96
12190 - Medical Record Technician	16.47 9.32
12221 - Nursing Assistant I 12222 - Nursing Assistant II	10.48
12223 - Nursing Assistant III	11.94
12224 - Nursing Assistant IV 12250 - Pharmacy Technician	13.40 13.02
12280 - Phlebotomist	13.40
12311 - Registered Nurse I	24.92 29.47
12312 - Registered Nurse II 12313 - Registered Nurse II, Specialist	29.47
12314 - Registered Nurse III	35.65
12315 - Registered Nurse III, Anesthetist	35.65 42.73
12316 - Registered Nurse IV 13000 - Information and Arts Occupations	
13002 - Audiovisual Librarian	20.85
13011 - Exhibits Specialist I 13012 - Exhibits Specialist II	17.98 23.33
13013 - Exhibits Specialist III	28.07
13041 - Illustrator I	18.73 23.42
13042 - Illustrator II 13043 - Illustrator III	28.82
13047 - Librarian	24.54
13050 - Library Technician	17.18 14.67
13071 - Photographer I 13072 - Photographer II	17.18
13073 - Photographer III	21.52
13074 - Photographer IV 13075 - Photographer V	26.05 29.15
15000 - Laundry, Dry Cleaning, Pressing and Related Occupations	
15010 - Assembler	8.71 8.71
15030 - Counter Attendant 15040 - Dry Cleaner	10.94
15070 - Finisher, Flatwork, Machine	8.71 8.71
15090 - Presser, Hand 15100 - Presser, Machine, Drycleaning	8.71
15130 - Presser, Machine, Shirts	8.71
15160 - Presser, Machine, Wearing Apparel, Laundry	8.71 11.73
15190 - Sewing Machine Operator 15220 - Tailor	12.43
15250 - Washer. Machine	9.31
19000 - Machine Tool Operation and Repair Occupations 19010 - Machine-Tool Operator (Toolroom)	18.95
19040 - Tool and Die Maker	23.05
21000 - Material Handling and Packing Occupations	19.38
21010 - Fuel Distribution System Operator 21020 - Material Coordinator	19.05
21030 - Material Expediter	19.05
21040 - Material Handling Laborer 21050 - Order Filler	11.50 13.21
21071 - Forklift Operator	16.04
21080 - Production Line Worker (Food Processing)	15.93
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21100 - Shipping/Receiving Clerk	13.15
21130 - Shipping Packer	13.15
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21140 - Store Worker I	13.05
21150 - Stock Clerk (Shelf Stocker; Store Worker II)	
21210 - Tools and Parts Attendant	16.99
21400 - Warehouse Specialist	16.04
23000 - Mechanics and Maintenance and Repair Occupations	
23010 - Aircraft Mechanic	22.24
23040 Aircraft Mechanic Holnon	14.71
23040 - Aircraft Mechanic Helper	23.43
23050 - Aircraft Quality Control Inspector	
23060 - Aircraft Servicer	17.82
23070 - Aircraft Worker	18.09
23100 - Appliance Mechanic	18.95
23120 Appriate Median	14.43
23120 - Bicycle Repairer	24.68
23125 - Cable Splicer	
23130 - Carpenter, Maintenance	18.95
23140 - Carpet Layer	17.80
23160 - Electricián, Maintenance	22.59
23181 - Electronics Technician, Maintenance I	19.42
23102 - Flectionics Technician, Maintenance I	21.92
23182 - Electronics Technician, Maintenance II	23.87
23183 - Electronics Technician, Maintenance III	
23260 - Fabric Worker	16.61
23290 - Fire Alarm System Mechanic	19.98
23310 - Fire Extinguisher Repairer	15.69
23340 - Fuel Distribution System Mechanic	21.05
23340 - Fuel Distillution System Mechanic	17.28
23370 - General Maintenance Worker	
23400 - Heating, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Mechanic	20.87
2343О – Heavy Ēquipment Mechanic	19.98
23440 - Heavy Equipment Operator	20.76
23460 - Instrument Mechanic	19.98
	14.27
23470 - Laborer	18.95
23500 - Locksmith	
23530 - Machinery Maintenance Mechanic	20.51
23550 - Machinist, Maintenance	21.52
23580 - Maintenance Trades Helper	14.54
23640 - Millwright	21.85
	18.95
23700 - Office Appliance Repairer	21.29
23740 - Painter, Aircraft	
23760 - Painter, Maintenance	18.95
23790 - Pipefitter, Maintenance	22.76
23800 - Plumber, Maintenance	20.99
23820 - Pneudraulic Systems Mechanic	19.98
	19.98
23850 - Rigger	17.88
23870 - Scale Mechanic	
23890 - Sheet-Metal Worker, Maintenance	19.98
23910 - Small Engine Mechanic	20.05
23930 - Telecommunication Mechanic I	22.21
23931 - Telecommunication Mechanic II	23.41
	22.21
23950 - Telephone Lineman	
23960 - Welder, Combination, Maintenance	19.98
23965 - Well Driller	19.98
23970 - Woodcraft Worker	19.98
23980 - Woodworker	15.32
24000 - Personal Needs Occupations	11.58
24570 - Child Care Attendant	
24580 - Child Care Center Clerk	16.15
24600 - Chore Aid	9.29
24630 - Homemaker	16.75
25000 - Plant and System Operation Occupations	
25010 - Boiler Tender	22.57
25040 - Bullet Telluci	19.52
25040 - Sewage Plant Operator	22.57
25070 - Stationary Engineer	22.3/
25190 - Ventilation Equipment Tender	15.24
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25210 - water Treatment Plant Operator	19.72
27000 - Protective Service Occupations	22.40
(not set) - Police Officer	23.19
27004 - Alarm Monitor	16.79
27006 - Corrections Officer	18.10
27010 - Court Security Officer	20.72
27040 - Detention Officer	18.29
27070 - Firefighter	20.97
27101 - Guard Ī	11.51
27102 - Guard II	15.16
28000 - Stevedoring/Longshoremen Occupations	10 00
28010 - Blocker and Bracer	19.89
28020 - Hatch Tender	19.89
28030 - Line Handler	$19.89 \\ 18.71$
28040 - Stevedore I	21.11
28050 - Stevedore II	21.11
29000 - Technical Occupations	22.81
21150 - Graphic Artist	32.70
29010 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Center (2)	22.54
29011 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Station (2)	24.82
29012 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Terminal (2)	15.78
29023 - Archeological Technician I	17.58
29024 - Archeological Technician II	21.94
29025 - Archeological Technician III	23.33
29030 - Cartographic Technician	31.26
29035 - Computer Based Training (CBT) Specialist/ Instructor	22.19
29040 - Civil Engineering Technician	14.31
29061 - Drafter I	16.57
29062 - Drafter II	18.53
29063 - Drafter III 29064 - Drafter IV	23.33
29084 - Draiter IV	17.67
29081 - Engineering Technician I 29082 - Engineering Technician II	19.84
29082 - Engineering Technician III	22.54
29083 - Engineering Technician IV	27.49
29085 - Engineering Technician V	33.62
29086 - Engineering Technician VI	40.67
29090 - Environmental Technician	21.22
29100 - Flight Simulator/Instructor (Pilot)	36.95
29160 - Instructor	26.54
29210 - Laboratory Technician	18.56
29240 - Mathematical Technician	23.70
29361 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant I	20.03
29362 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant II	24.82
29363 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant III	30.35
29364 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant IV	36.73
29390 - Photooptics Technician	23.33
29480 - Technical Writer	28.55
29491 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician I	20.78
29492 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician II	25.14
29493 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician III	30.13 20.78
29494 - Unexploded (UXO) Safety Escort	
29495 - Unexploded (UXO) Sweep Personnel	20.78 21.32
29620 - Weather Observer, Senior (3)	18.30
29621 - Weather Observer, Combined Upper Air and Surface Programs (3) 29622 - Weather Observer, Upper Air (3)	18.30
29622 - Weather Observer, upper Air (3)	10.50
31000 - Transportation/ Mobile Equipment Operation Occupations	15.95
31030 - Bus Driver	8.62
31260 - Parking and Lot Attendant	13.45
31290 - Shuttle Bus Driver	12.71
31300 - Taxi Driver 31361 - Truckdriver, Light Truck	13.89
31362 - Truckdriver, Medium Truck	17.09
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31363 - Truckdriver, Heavy Truck _	18.40
31364 - Truckdriver, Tractor-Trailer	18.40
99000 - Miscellaneous Occupations	
99020 - Animal Caretaker	10.47
99030 - Cashier	9.82
99041 - Carnival Equipment Operator	12.35
99042 - Carnival Equipment Repairer	13.30
99043 - Carnival Worker	8.31
99050 - Desk Clerk	9.78
99030 - Desk Cleik	19.79
99095 - Embalmer	10.92
99300 - Lifeguard	24.77
99310 - Mortician	13.71
99350 - Park Attendant (Aide)	11.12
99400 - Photofinishing Worker (Photo Lab Tech., Darkroom Tech)	16.99
99500 - Recreation Specialist	15.47
99510 - Recycling Worker	11.08
99610 - Sales Clerk	11.37
99620 - School Crossing Guard (Crosswalk Attendant)	11.24
99630 - Sport Official	18.39
99658 - Survey Party Chief (Chief of Party)	
99659 - Surveying Technician (Instr. Person/Surveyor Asst./Instr.)	17.48
99660 - Surveying Aide	11.43
99690 - Swimming Pool Operator	13.93
99720 - Vending Machine Attendant	10.73
99730 - Vending Machine Repairer	13.93
99740 - Vending Machine Repairer Helper	11.34

ALL OCCUPATIONS LISTED ABOVE RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS:

HEALTH & WELFARE: \$2.87 an hour or \$114.80 a week or \$497.47 a month

VACATION: 2 weeks paid vacation after 1 year of service with a contractor or successor; 3 weeks after 5 years, and 4 weeks after 15 years. Length of service includes the whole span of continuous service with the present contractor or successor, wherever employed, and with the predecessor contractors in the performance of similar work at the same Federal facility. (Reg. 29 CFR 4.173)

HOLIDAYS: A minimum of ten paid holidays per year: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veterans' Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. (A contractor may substitute for any of the named holidays another day off with pay in accordance with a plan communicated to the employees involved.) (See 29 CFR 4.174)

THE OCCUPATIONS WHICH HAVE PARENTHESES AFTER THEM RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS (as numbered):

- 1) Does not apply to employees employed in a bona fide executive, administrative, or professional capacity as defined and delineated in 29 CFR 541. (See CFR 4.156)
- 2) APPLICABLE TO AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS ONLY NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL: An employee is entitled to pay for all work performed between the hours of 6:00 P.M. and 6:00 A.M. at the rate of basic pay plus a night pay differential amounting to 10 percent of the rate of basic pay.
- 3) WEATHER OBSERVERS NIGHT PAY & SUNDAY PAY: If you work at night as part of a regular tour of duty, you will earn a night differential and receive an additional Page 6

10% of basic pay for any hours worked between 6pm and 6am. If you are a full-time employed (40 hours a week) and Sunday is part of your regularly scheduled workweek, you are paid at your rate of basic pay plus a Sunday premium of 25% of your basic rate for each hour of Sunday work which is not overtime (i.e. occasional work on Sunday outside the normal tour of duty is considered overtime work).

HAZARDOUS PAY DIFFERENTIAL: An 8 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a high degree of hazard when working with or in close proximity to ordinance, explosives, and incendiary materials. This includes work such as screening, blending, dying, mixing, and pressing of sensitive ordance, explosives, and pyrotechnic compositions such as lead azide, black powder and photoflash powder. All dry-house activities involving propellants or explosives. Demilitarization modification repovation demolition and maintenance explosives. Demilitarization, modification, renovation, demolition, and maintenance

operations on sensitive ordnance, explosives and incendiary materials. All operations involving regrading and cleaning of artillery ranges.

A 4 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a low degree of hazard when working with, or in close proximity to ordance, (or employees possibly adjacent to) explosives and incendiary materials which involves potential injury such as laceration of hands, face, or arms of the employee engaged in the operation, irritation of the skin, minor burns and the like; minimal damage to immediate or adjacent work area or equipment being used. A11

operations involving, unloading, storage, and hauling of ordance, explosive, and incendiary ordnance material other than small arms ammunition. These differentials are only applicable to work that has been specifically designated by the agency for ordance, explosives, and incendiary material differential pay.

** UNIFORM ALLOWANCE **

If employees are required to wear uniforms in the performance of this contract (either by the terms of the Government contract, by the employer, by the state or local law, etc.), the cost of furnishing such uniforms and maintaining (by laundering or dry cleaning) such uniforms is an expense that may not be borne by an employee where such cost reduces the hourly rate below that required by the wage determination. The Department of Labor will accept payment in accordance with the following standards as compliance:

The contractor or subcontractor is required to furnish all employees with an adequate number of uniforms without cost or to reimburse employees for the actual cost of the uniforms. In addition, where uniform cleaning and maintenance is made the responsibility of the employee, all contractors and subcontractors subject to this wage determination shall (in the absence of a bona fide collective bargaining agreement providing for a different amount, or the furnishing of contrary affirmative proof as to the actual cost), reimburse all employees for such cleaning and maintenance at a rate of \$3.35 per week (or \$.67 cents per day). However, in those instances where the uniforms furnished are made of "wash and wear" materials, may be routinely washed and dried with other personal garments, and do not require any special treatment such as dry cleaning, daily washing, or commercial

laundering in order to meet the cleanliness or appearance standards set by the terms of the Government contract, by the contractor, by law, or by the nature of the work, there is no requirement that employees be reimbursed for uniform maintenance costs.

** NOTES APPLYING TO THIS WAGE DETERMINATION **

Under the policy and guidance contained in All Agency Memorandum No. 159, the Wage and Hour Division does not recognize, for section 4(c) purposes, prospective wage Page 7

rates and fringe benefit provisions that are effective only upon such contingencies as "approval of wage and Hour, issuance of a wage determination, incorporation of the wage determination in the contract, adjusting the contract price, etc." (The relevant CBA section) in the collective bargaining agreement between (the parties) contains contingency language that Wage and Hour does not recognize as reflecting "arm's length negotiation" under section 4(c) of the Act and 29 C.F.R. 5.11(a) of the regulations. This wage determination therefore reflects the actual CBA wage rates and fringe benefits paid under the predecessor contract.

Source of Occupational Title and Descriptions:

The duties of employees under job titles listed are those described in the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations," Fourth Edition, January 1993, as amended by the Third Supplement, dated March 1997, unless otherwise indicated. The service of the contract of the

publication may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, at 202-783-3238, or by writing to the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. Copies of specific job descriptions may also be obtained from the appropriate contracting officer.

REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION OF ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION AND WAGE RATE {Standard Form 1444 (SF 1444)}

Conformance Process:

The contracting officer shall require that any class of service employee which is not listed herein and which is to be employed under the contract (i.e., the work to be performed is not performed by any classification listed in the wage determination), be classified by the contractor so as to provide a reasonable relationship (i.e., appropriate level of skill comparison) between such unlisted classifications and the classifications listed in the wage determination. Such conformed classes of employees shall be paid the monetary wages and furnished the fringe benefits as are determined. Such conforming process shall be initiated by fringe benefits as are determined. Such conforming process shall be initiated by the contractor prior to the performance of contract work by such unlisted class(es) of employees. The conformed classification, wage rate, and/or fringe benefits shall

be retroactive to the commencement date of the contract. {See Section 4.6 (C)(vi)} when multiple wage determinations are included in a contract, a separate SF 1444 should be prepared for each wage determination to which a class(es) is to be conformed.

The process for preparing a conformance request is as follows:

- 1) When preparing the bid, the contractor identifies the need for a conformed occupation(s) and computes a proposed rate(s).
- 2) After contract award, the contractor prepares a written report listing in order proposed classification title(s), a Federal grade equivalency (FGE) for each proposed classification(s), job description(s), and rationale for proposed wage rate(s), including information regarding the agreement or disagreement of the authorized representative of the employees involved, or where there is no authorized

representative, the employees themselves. This report should be submitted to the contracting officer no later than 30 days after such unlisted class(es) of employees

performs any contract work.

3) The contracting officer reviews the proposed action and promptly submits a report

of the action, together with the agency's recommendations and pertinent information including the position of the contractor and the employees, to the Wage and Hour Division, Employment Standards Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, for review. (See section 4.6(b)(2) of Regulations 29 CFR Part 4). Page 8

- 4) Within 30 days of receipt, the Wage and Hour Division approves, modifies, or disapproves the action via transmittal to the agency contracting officer, or notifies the contracting officer that additional time will be required to process the request.
- 5) The contracting officer transmits the Wage and Hour decision to the contractor.
- 6) The contractor informs the affected employees.

Information required by the Regulations must be submitted on SF 1444 or bond paper.

When preparing a conformance request, the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations" (the Directory) should be used to compare job definitions to insure that duties requested are not performed by a classification already listed in the wage determination. Remember, it is not the job title, but the required tasks that determine whether a class is included in an established wage determination. Conformances may not be used to artificially split, combine, or subdivide classifications listed in the wage determination.